

M.R.A.C. MEETING: February 14, 1974

M.S.O.E.

The meeting was called to order at 7:45 PM by W9ATK.

The minutes of the November meeting were read and approved.

W9CTI asked for news to fill the next issue of Hamateur Chatter. He also reports that he may move from this area in the near future and is willing to teach the editing job to anyone who wishes to take over the paper. No volunteers were had from those present.

W9ATK made announcements of various Hamfest activities.

W9RKP reminded those present of the dinner dance party on Feb. 16th.

A motion was made by W9DVD to change the date of Old Timers Night from January to November. A show of hands indicated 10 favoring the move and 7 against changing the date. Since this vote was so close and did not represent the full membership it was decided to resolve this question at the next board meeting. A ballot will be put into the next issue of Hamateur Chatter. The results of this will be used to advise the Board.

A certificate of Life Membership was presented to John LeFeber, W9VAT.

The program, a symposium on local repeater activities, was presented by W9VAT, K9CAN, W9KHO, W9ATK, WA9POV and K9HXA.

K8DD reminded that the March meeting will have a presentation by a representative of the Electric Company about the power grid synchronization.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:45 PM.

M.R.A.C. MEETING: March 14, 1974; M.S.O.E.

The meeting was called to order at 7:50 PM by president, W9ATK.

The minutes of the February meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer reported a balance of \$305.81 as of March 11th. Additional receipts of \$ 35.00 were also reported.

W9ATK reported that the valentine party was a success, according to W9RKP who is presently disabled. Russ will submit a full report at the next meeting.

It was also reported that the club account, at St Francis Bld & Loan, has been transferred to one which bears more interest.

George Ruger reported that W9WVL, George Fields, had major surgery on March 11th and is in intensive care at St. Mary's Hospital. It was also reported that the wife of George Halper, W9SUF, passed away this last week.

Announcements of various up-coming activities were made.

W9CTI reminded the club that he is still looking for an editor to take over the Hamateur Chatter. Chet's last issue will be published in June.

W9ZPV announced that the 2 Meter rtty net will move to the new frequency of 146.70 on March 17th.

K9DD introduced Mr. Al Malkasion, of the Wiscon Electric Power Co. Al gave a very interesting program about the national power grid system and described how exact 60 cycle frequency is maintained.

It was announced that the program at the April meeting will be presented by Sus Musashi, WB9BGJ.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:40 PM.

M.R.A.C. MEETING: April 11, 1974 M.S.C.E.

The meeting was called to order at 7:55 PM by W9ATK.

The minutes of the March meeting were read and approved.

The treasurer reported a balance of \$ 305.81 at this time.

It was reported that George Fields, W9WVL, is improving after major surgery last month.

W9CUJ is now living at Friendship Village, on 75th & Dean Road and is becoming active on 2 Meters. Several members are planning to erect a new antenna for Mac.

*FINANCE (W9CTD)*

Issues of QST from the past 20 years have been donated to the Club by the widow of Ray Thompson, W9IRZ. These will be auctioned at the next meeting and the proceeds placed into a suitable memorial.

Nomination of officers was conducted by W9ZPV. The following names were placed in nomination:

President:	George Ruger,	W9DVD
1st V. P.	Emmett Keeble,	K9DD
2nd V. P.	Howard Traxler,	WA9RYF
Treasurer	Charles Dawson,	W9CUW
Secretary	Walt Glish,	W9YYW
Board of Directors	David Knaus,	WA9FOV
	Dick Oberholtzer	W9ZPV
	Ralph Parker	WA9MLY
	Gordon Weiler,	W9ZQK
	Lee Mushel,	K9WRU

Additional nominations will be accepted ~~xxx~~ before the election at the May meeting.

An interesting program about ham radio in Japan was conducted by Sus Musashi, ~~WB9BGJ~~ WB9BGJ.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:45 PM.

*CARRY OVER.  
W9CTI  
W9ITD*

MAY 9, 1974

The meeting was called to order at 8 PM by president W9ATK.

The minutes of the April meeting were read, and corrected.

The treasurer reported a current balance of \$ 409~~1~~76 at this time. He also relayed a report from W9RKP about the February Dinner-Dance party. A total of \$ 672 was collected for tickets. A profit of ~~\$XXIXXX~~ \$15.35 was gained.

A silent key was reported, Herb Reinke, W9ESO.

A new member, WB9HOB, Larry Staats, was introduced.

WB9BWP reported that the AREC repeater, for 07 - 67, is being tested at this time and will be operational by the time the license is received.

The annual election of officers was held. George Ruger, W9DVD, declined the nomination as president as voted at the last meeting. Motion was made by W9CUW and seconded by W9BTQ to nominate Lee Mushel, K9WRU, as president. Lee's name was removed from the list of nominees for Directors and the following list of nominees was presented:

President:	Lee Mushel, K9WRU
1st V. P.	Emmett Keeble, K9DD
2nd V. P.	Howard Traxler, WA9RYF
Treasurer:	Charles Dawson, W9CUW
Secretary:	Walt Glish, W9YYW
Board of Directors:	David Knaus, WA9POV
	Dick Oberholtzer, W9ZP V
	Ralph Parker, WA9MLY
	Gordon Weiler, W9ZQK

Motion was made by WB9KAB to close nominations and cast a unanimous ballot for the slate presented. This was done and the new president took over the meeting.

The program, about code and rty typewriters using solid state devices was presented by Milt Krauthoff, W9BTQ.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:45PM.

HOLD OVERS - W9CTI  
W9ITD

MILWAUKEE RADIO AMATEURS CLUB  
Milwaukee School of Engineering

June 13, 1974

The meeting was called to order at 7:50 PM by president Lee Mushel.

The minutes of the May meeting were read and approved.

The treasurer reported a current balance of \$409.76.

The subject of a summer picnic was discussed. Various kinds of picnics were suggested but no member present volunteered to head up a picnic committee. It was decided to defer any decision to the board of directors.

It was announced that the 41st issue of Hamateur Chatter will be the last one edited by Chet Sakura, W9CTI. A request for a new editor was unanswered. This matter will also be deferred to the board.

The subject of the new club roster was discussed. It was unanimously agreed to publish a simple list of membership changes to update the 1973 roster. This will be arranged at the next board meeting.

George Ruger read a letter from ARRL regarding new FCC exam schedules for Milwaukee and Madison.

A new member, Colin Zylka, WN9NKB, was introduced.

An interesting program about teletype converters was presented by Al Belanger, W9MDG.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:40 PM.

September 12, 1974

The meeting was called to order at 8 PM by president, Lee Muschel.

The minutes of the June meeting were read and approved.

The treasurer reported a current balance of \$ 313.00 at this time. He reported that the new list of people who may have access to the Safety Deposit Box is being prepared.

WA9POV asked why his bill for picnic expenses has not been paid. The treasurer said it was because of some unexplained error in arithmetic. The exact reason was not explained but it was assumed that the difference was due to some unreturned bottles. Motion was made by W9YYW and seconded by W9DVD to pay the amount requested by WA9POV. The motion was passed and the payment was made.

W9CTI reported that he will be moving out of the area in the near future and has papers and materials for any person who will assume the editorship of the Hamateur Chatter. He also offered to provide all possible help in training such a person.. Chet expects to be on the air from his new QTH, in Lexington, Mass....on 14.205 at 10 AM local time.

The president took a poll of those present, with secret ballots, as to what sort of club paper was wanted and what members were thought to be available for the editorship. He will contact those people ~~whom~~ who were suggested.

It was reported that George Fields, W9WVL is convalescing at home but has little interest in getting on the air. He would welcome visitors. Roy Freeman, K9HGJ is reported to be seriously ill at this time.

The scheduled program was cancelled because of illness. Instead, a home-brew two meter transceiver was displayed by W9YYW. It was suggested that members bring projects they have built to future meetings to show and demonstrate.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:03 PM

MRAC Meeting Minutes, October 10, 1974

Held at Milwaukee School of Engineering

Meeting called to order at 7:52 PM by president K9WRU

Due to absence of secretary no minutes read, W9ATK appointed as temporary secretary of meeting.

Treasurer reported a cash balance of \$358.88 in checking account.

Visitor, WN9PGK was introduced, a new ham as of August.

Old Business:

W9RKP: comments regarding 1974 picnic handling.

K9WRU: explanation of expenses for the picnic.

Discussion: merits of "free" or "pay" picnic with no conclusions.

K9DD expressed need for club paper and suggests that Wisconsin Herald would fill the need. Discussion brought out that the 'Herald' has not been too regular lately.

K9DD explained his personal schedule and how it will affect his work as program chairman, he will continue to attempt to bring interesting programs to the club.

Discussion on club mailing with a suggestion to try to put more on the announcement card.

Discussion of possibility of an 'Oscar' demonstration for schools.

New Business:

The November meeting will be an auction.

W9RKP announced that another member would have to take over the running of the valantines party. President expressed thanks on behalf of the club for past parties.

Program featured Stan Nawrocki, W9HHF/W8LOA, an instructor at MATC, on the subject of "Electronics of the Future." The program was most interesting and members of his MATC class were also in attendance (including W9VQD).

Meeting adjourned 9:25 PM

Respectfully submitted: W9ATK

MILWAUKEE RADIO AMATEURS CLUB INC.  
November 14, 1974  
Milwaukee School of Engineering

The meeting was called to order at 7:40PM by president K9WRU.

The minutes of the October meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer reported a current balance of \$364.88. He also reminded members that ARRL dues will increase on January 1st and any people whose membership will expire soon were urged to renew before that date.

K9WRU reminded that a new member will be needed to run the Valentine Party since W9RKP will not be available. W9ZPV was appointed as new chairman for this function.

There being no further business, the rest of the meeting was taken up with a lively auction. The proceeds from several items, including two monitor receivers from WISN, were donated to the Club.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:40 PM.



MILWAUKEE RADIO AMATEURS CLUB  
December 12, 1974  
Milwaukee School of Engineering

The meeting was called to order at 7:45PM by president K9WRU.

The minutes of the November meeting were read and amended. It was noted that W9ZPV did not accept the chairmanship of the Valentine Party Committee, as stated in these minutes.

The treasurer reported \$404.38 in the treasury at this time.

Lee Mushel read the latest HR Report which described new proposed rulemaking by the F.C.C. which would completely change the licensing and privileges of all amateurs.

WA9POV announced the forthcoming West Allis Club Swapfest for January 25, 1975.

The program "Miniature Marvels" was presented by Mr. Stan Brown of the Wisconsin Telephone Co. It described the history of transistors.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 PM.